# DO HONOR TO BAIRD

Court Adjourns as Mark of Respect.

## ATTORNEYS TELL OF HIS VIRTUES

Bench and Bar Join in United States Court Expressions of Grief.

The bench and bar of Hawaii pald a fitting tribute in Federal Court yesterday morning to the memory of the late United States District Attorney John C. Baird. After the attorneys and Judge Estee had concluded their eulogies, of the deceased, court was adjourned for the day as a further mark of respect. Before the adjournment of court, Judge Estee made an order appointing J. J. Dunne as temporary United States attorney, until a successor to Mr. Baird

Immediately upon the opening of court yesterday morning Assistant United States Attorney Dunne, in addressing the court, said:

"May it Please Your Honor: It was ound regret learned by yesterday's mail of the death of Colonel J. C. Baird, United States Attorney for this district. For some time prior to his recent departure from Hawail, Colonel Baird had not been in good health; and though he bore up against this misfortune with commendable fortitude, yet he reached his old home only

"Colonel Baird was a good example of the best type of American citizenship. His aspirations were always worthy, and his successes were always deserved. Like your Honor, Colonel Baird was a Pennsylvanian by birth. After receiving a public school education, followed by some practical training at Pittsburg, he assumed the editorship of a local newspaper. He then combined journalism and law, devoting his spare moments to the study of that profession in which he afterwards became so prominent.

"Upon his removal to Wyoming, his merit was recognized by his appointment as Judge Advocate General, District Attorney, member of the Board of Trade and member of the Wyoming Legislature. In all of these positions, Colone! Baird distinguished himself highly; and when, therefore, he was selected by President McKinley for appointment as United States Attorney in this district, the selection was approved and ratified by the unanimous judgment of al lwho knew him. His administration of the office in Honolulu has been in complete accord with the life and character of the man; and no one who had to do with him, officially or personally, could refuse him esteem or deny him respect.

"His whole life was a worthy object lesson; it was an example worthy of emulation; and now that it has gone out, we have the sombre satisfaction at least that it went out upon the scene of former successes, and in the place wherein were laid the broad foundations of his high reputation."

In conclusion Mr. Dunne moved that an adjournment be taken as soon as a proper expression of grief was made by the members of the bar present.

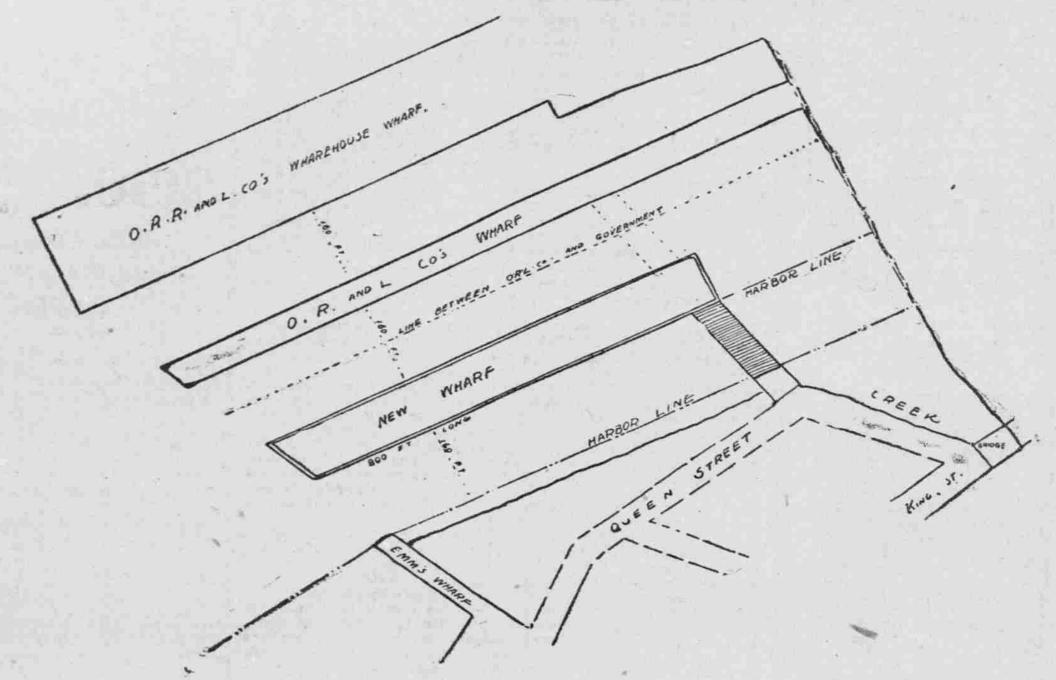
Judge Gilbert F. Little sald in part: "I fully endorse the sentiments expressed by the Assistant United States Attorney. For a second time within the past few months the dark winged messenger has invaded your Honor's court. To such a calamity the human mind refuses to respond. Death has stricken from us our friend, and deprived the government of an unusually good officer. To us the loss comes as that of a father, brother and friend; to your Honor of a faithfuland attentive friend. I have known Colonel Baird for ten years, in every walk of life. He was faithful and honorable to every trust in life, and now that all is over and life's battle won, we all hope that he sleeps well."

Mr. Fitch referred to the deceased as a lawyer of unusual ability. "An attorney cannot sustain himself beyond his abilities to reach," said he. "He is always sifted by his associates and placed where he belongs. Mr. Haird easily won a place for himself among the members of the bar. He was courteous and considerate, with a keen knowledge of mind, He did not waste time on unimportant details, but immediately went to the core of the case. He had the courage of his convictions and possessed the rare faculty of intellectual integrity-of criticizing his own aclons, and if wrong, of going back to the starting place." Mr. Fitch



# MAP OF NEW DOCK AND APPROACH.

ESTABLISHED JULY 2, 1856.



The proposed wharf at the Ewa end of the harbor is raising the question of Federal and Territorial control of the harbor. The problem now is what shall be done to prevent any encroachments upon the fairway by the local improvements and just what constitutes the fairway. The harbor line as fixed according to the understanding of the local officials embraces a channel of 200 feet parallel with Queen street in-

cluding the entrance to the Nuuanu stream. The contention is made that the building of the approach to the

wharf, which crosses the channel before the stream is reached is an encroachment upon the Federal harbor reservation and as such should be prevented. The cut shows the Ewa end of the harbor looking makai from Queen street. The shaded portion is the approach to the new dock which is the first one indicated.

It is understood that the approach was constructed for the purpose of saving the long haul from the new dock around by the Iwilel road and King street, whereas the present route will make it possible to reach Queen street by a haul of only 200 feet.

#### also referred to the death of Mr. Dag-

gett. Judge Silliman said: "It gives me great pleasure to pay tribute to one I had come to think a good deal of, for his sincere, loyal friendship, as one who went to the bottom of everything; a true lawyer, a genial, warm comrade, He was a man of most charming personality, amiable and thoughtful; and fearless in the discharge of his duty." Mr. Silli- Insular Government for the last quarter For the Philippine Commission, the tation in the States, as one of the leading lawyers of the West, a clean republican and loyal to party and friends.

the class of lawyers who did not know Colonel Baird personally. "I deprecate the loss not only because of the manly qualities he possessed, but because his death removes from us a public official impressed me most was that he was a man of great determination; he seemed and persistently. That he was a man of great ability, learning and integrity we must all believe. I want to express my feeling of regret and sorrow that he now only provided for. is taken away, and only hope that his position may be filled by another man so pre-eminently fitted for this position of "I learned to admire Colonel Baird

him when I was temporarily appointed coast," said T. McCants Stewart. "I saw then that he was courageous and correct ed. He will be missed." in all things, but he did not want to work hardship to anyone. I admired him for his charity as well as for his ability. In the olden days, the standard of man was physical strength; today the standard is money. There are some, however, who do not set up these artifi-Baird.

add my tribute to the memory of the head and heart. late United States District Attorney, a "He enjoyed a varied learning outside find out what was right and then he did for is the Quartermaster Department, tribute to his kindness and genial char- of his profession, but in his profession he the right with all his might. His death which will require to expend \$36,297, on was brief it was always extremely pleas- a remarkable memory and thus his mind be most difficult to fill. ant, and I wish to put myself on record became a storehouse of legal knowledge. | "Mr. Clerk, this court stands adjourned as one of his friends." W. A. Kinney said: "Mr. Baird came

to this country as a perfect stranger, representative of Federal authority, something new to Hawaii, and a trying experience both to those who came and those who received. Looking back at the result, it is a matter of sincere congratulation on both sides that relations between Hawaii and the United States were established with so little friction, and with such perfect understanding. The integrity of Colonel Baird grew upon me, and while we were never intimate, I can say with perfect candor that he was a man who earned my respect, a man honest and courageous, and who commanded the respect of everyone. It compels respect to see a man stand up for his convictions, though many are opposed. When a frank, honest, courageous man goes to death the community suffers a loss-a loss that this community does not as yet realize."

A. G. M. Robertson said in referring o the deceased: "We have recognized im always as a lawyer of ability and man of integrity. He was a thorough awyer, a man of experience and wide nowledge, and the bar has lost a valued

H. A. Bigelow; "Colonel Baird was a can whose profession was not a trade ut a profession, and I believe that in is death the older as well as the youngr members of the bar have lost one who was a guide in the better side of the

A. Lewis Jr. referred to the last trip nel Baird had made to San Franco in the same vessel on which he was a passenger, and of his keenness of purose and hopefulness in the battle for fe, and of his expressed intention of gain returning to the Islands, "He left mark of respect and honor behind, on his journey through life."

# OVER TWO MILLIONS TO RUN PHILIPPINES GOVERNMENT

The cost to Uncle Sam of running the | priated to provide as follows:

man also referred to Mr. Baird's repu- of the year 1901 comes close on to two sum of \$55,160. and a half millions of dollars, gold; For the Executive Bureau, \$22,576.36. the actual figures, according to the act E. B. McClanahan said he spoke for appropriating a sum for that purpose \$441,349.16. from the funds now in the Insular The Board of Health requires for its quire for working expenses the sums of treasury, being \$2,490,143.82. But this expenses \$85,570, while the Quarantine \$2,655, \$3,175.50 and \$255 respectively. act of appropriation does not cover all office will consume \$52,500. The Forrepresentative in his particular way of the expense of the government for the newly created Mining Bureau will cost our government. The characteristic that fourth quarter of the year, as appro- \$2,663.50. The Weather Bureau for the expenses. The Insular Treasury estabpriations have already been made for same period will expend \$10,746 and the lishment gets away with \$24,328, but to take hold of his duties here fearlessly some of the departments up to the end Bureau of Public Lands \$3,827.76. of the year, and sums for anticipated needs only the modest sum of \$2,450, enue needs but the moderate sum for deficiencies in those departments are while the Bureau of Laboratories re-

The sum of \$2,490,143.82 is now appro- To meet a deficiency in the Bureau

Deputy Attorney General Douthitt re- members of our profession whose voice ferred to Colonel Baird as a "scholar, is heard before his influence is felt, and and had begun to cherish esteem for lawyer, a man of unusual mental attain- so he did not readily make acquaintances ments. He was a man of unimpeachable even with the bar. He was modest and District Attorney, on his first visit to the integrity and honesty, and I have no unassuming, and as gentle as a woman, hesitation in saying that he will be miss- but in the path of duty he was fearless

"Gentlemen: It was with the most friend who was not proud of that friendprofound regret that I learned by the last steamer of the death of Colonel J. C. Baird, United States District Attor-

cial characteristics. Show us a man of "I knew very little of Colonel Baird or king. Show us a man of brains, and an association of the most intimate and when ordered home by his physician the ability to use them, and we hold him character was formed and continued un- he did not want to leave, as a king. Such a man was Colonel til he left for his home, and I can truthfully say I have rarely met a man who courage of his convictions, and in all for and a sum of \$800 is set aside for Attorney General Dole said: "I wish to possessed such lovable qualities of both matters relating to his public duties he its maintenance.

acter. Though my association with him was a lawyer of peculiar ability. He had has left a vacancy at this bar which will the three months' operations, and final-He was not one of those aggressive until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning."

of consequences. Those who knew him In adjourning court, Judge Estee said: best loved him most, and no one was his ship. He was a most kindly man. The spirit of fairness animated his professional life, and whatever may have been his opinion of a wrong, he never har-

quires double, or \$5,588.23.

bored ill-feelings of the wrongdoer.

"Colonel Baird maintained always the



Rudyard Kipling, From His Latest Photograph.

tus plantation and spress

of Patents, Copyrights, and Trade- DR. T. MOTONAGA,-46 Beretania St., marks, the small sum of \$225 is appropriated. For the Civil Hospital expenses a sum of \$23,077.83 is provided, DR. A. C. WALL, DR. O. E. WALL. and for the Government Farm at San Ramon \$1,117.50.

The Bureau of Postoffices calls for Philippine Constabulary will require

The Bureau of Prisons is the next to be provided for. The Presidio de Ma-For the Civil Service Board, \$7,331-22. nila will use up \$15,585.90, the Carcel ARTHUR C. ALEXANDER .- Survey-For the Insular Purchasing Agent, Publica \$38,992.36, while the prisons at Bacolor, San Isidro, and Lingayen re-

The next item on the bill is the Capestry Bureau needs \$19,614.75, and the taln of the Ports with a little sum of \$62,213.90 for the three months' working RISDON IRON WORKS .- Engineers the Customs Department tops these deficiencies of \$3,057.

The Cold Storage and Ice Plant will consume a sum of \$49,144.

The Bureau of Justice, including the departments of the Attorney General, Solicitor General and the Courts, will cost the government for the three last months of the year \$66,642.72, which sum includes the cost of the temporary court of Negros.

The Bureau of Public Instruction, though low down in the list of appropriations, tops them all in the amount of the requisition for the stated period, the sum total of the requirements of this Bureau being \$481,612.13.

There is a big drop from this to the "He was industrious to a fault, and next item which provides \$400 for the integrity, and honest in all his convict until we started together on the same after his illness became serious he yet Bureau of Statistics to cover the detions, and we hold that man as a prince steamer for this Territory. Since then would not realize he was too ili to work, ficiency in the funds of that bureau. The American Circulating Library of Manila is the next institution provided

had an honest conviction. He tried to The penultimate department provided J. D. AVERY .- Public Stenographer,

ly the Municipal Board is looked after by the appropriation of \$14,367.33. All these amounts quoted include the salaries of the entire departments and

contingent expenses. From the sums mentioned above, it will be noticed that the Bureau that draws most heavily on the purse of Uncle Sam is the Bureau of Public Instruction with \$481,612.13. The next, which runs the above somewhat closely, \$441,349.16, while the Philippine Constabulary with its \$262,295, is the third department which runs into six figures, the fourth and last of the six figure group being the Customs Department, which calls for \$124,579.65, while the smallest Item provided is \$225 for the Bureau of Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks,-Manila Times.

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